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ON AND AFTER MONDAY, MAY 4, 1874, trains will depart from and arrive at Decatur, as follows:

GOING EAST.

Passenger leaves.................1,15 p m
Freight and Accommodation.................7,00 a m
Passenger from East arrives at Decatur.................11,20 a m
Freight and Accommodation.................4,35 p m

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" .... 10 40 A M Sundays "
" .... 3 45 P M

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MAIN LINE:

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No. 1 Through Express.................3 15 a. m
" 3 Fast Express.................12 20 p. m
" 11 Accommodation.................3 10 p. m
" 5 " ....11 00 p. m

GOING EAST:

No. 2 Lightning Express.................12 10 p. m
" 4 Atlantic.................7 45 p m
" 12 Accommodation.................9 00 a. m
" 6

PEKIN DIVISION:

DEPART:

No. 1 Accommodation.................[illegible]
" 3 Mail.................[illegible]

ARRIVE:

No. 2 Accommodation.................9 00 p. m
" 4 Mail.................11 [illegible] m

ST. LOUIS DIVISION:

DEPART:

No. 1 Through Express.................[illegible]
" 3 Fast Express.................[illegible]
" 9 Accommodation.................[illegible]
" 5

ARRIVE:

No. 2 Lightning Express.................11 05 p. m
" 4 Atlantic.................[illegible]
" 10 Accommodation.................8 15 p. m
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STATIONS.	No. 2.	No. 4.	No. 6.
Lv Decatur......			2 50 p m
Ar Monticello...			4 40 "
" Champaign.			6 20 "
" Chicago......			8 05 a m
Lv Champaign..	5 40 a m	1 10 p m	11 30 p m
Ar Danville......	7 20 a m	2 50 p m	1 30 a m
T. W. & W. R. R.			
Lv Decatur......		11 50 a m	11 10 p m
" Tolono......		1 12 p m	12 22 a m
Ar Danville......		2 30 p m	1 20 a m
I. B. & W. R. R.			
Lv Danville.....	7 20 a m	2 50 p m	1 30 a m
Ar Indianapolis	11 40 a m	6 30 p m	6 10 a m
" Cincinnati...	9 05 p m	12 10 a m	11 50 a m
" Dayton......	6 40 p m	8 30 a m	3 05 p m
" Columbus.....	10 25 p m	2 55 a m	6 35 p m
" Zanesville.....	1 45 a m	6 15 a m	1 45 a m
" Wheeling......	5 50 a m	10 20 a m	5 50 a m
" Washington..	9 25 p m	6 13 a m	8 30 p m
" Baltimore.....	10 40 p m	2 15 a m	6 30 p m
" Pittsburg......		11 50 a m	2 15 a m
" Harrisburg...		10 40 p m	11 50 a m
" Philadelphia		2 50 a m	4 10 p m
" New York.....		6 50 a m	7 35 p m
" Crestline......		4 10 a m	5 50 p m
" Cleveland......		7 10 a m	9 35 p m
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" Boston......		8 30 a m	11 20 p m
" Louisville......		11 25 p m	1 00 p m

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TAKING EFFECT MAY 31st, 1874.

EAST BOUND TRAINS.

No. 1, Mail and Express Train—
Leaves Decatur.................8:30 a. m
Arrives at Terre Haute.................1:25 p. m
" Indianapolis.................4:15 "

No. 3, Accommodation—
Leaves Decatur.................3:45 p m
Arrives at Terre Haute.................12:40 a. m
Indianapolis.................[illegible] "

WEST BOUND TRAINS.

No. 2, Accommodation—
Leaves Terre Haute.................6:30 a. m
Arrives at Decatur.................3:00 p. m

No. 4, Mail and Express Train—
Leaves Indianapolis.................2:00 p. m
Leaves Terre Haute.................5:20 "
Arrives at Decatur at.................10:40 "

These trains run into the Union Depot at Terre Haute.

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" East.........12:30 P. M.
" Mattoon.........1:00 "
" North.........5:20 "
" South Paris, Chicago, & East of Lafayette.........5:30 A. M.

MAILS CLOSE.

For East.........10:45 A. M.
" Paris at.........11:00 "
" West, St. Louis.........10:45 "
" Pekin.........1:00 P. M.
" Chicago and Mattoon.........3:30 P. M.
" South.........4:30 "
" North & East.........7:30 "

I. C. PUGH, Postmaster.

A TOUCHING ROMANCE.

There is a touching romance in connection with Ellsworth's death, which became public for the first time on the day of the dedication of his monument. The beautiful little incident illustrates woman's devotion. When Ellsworth died he was affianced to a beautiful young lady, and she vowed to ever after lead a life of celibacy. Years have passed over her young head, and she has not been mercifully called to rejoin that other self whom she loved better than life, without whom life is death.

One who knew her attended the dedication of the monument, and inquired first and eagerly for the beautiful bride of Ellsworth's hovering spirit. She was not there. Surely she must be dead; nothing else could keep her from such a tribute to her spirit love. He ascertained it was not death that detained her. It was not convenient for her to leave her husband and children. She had "weakened" on her vow several years since. Oh, woman in our hours of ease how you "stick;" but after we are planted how you don't stick!

"SNAG," of the St. Louis *Journal*, is our authority for announcing that 'G. Whilikins' was the party who 'struck Billy Patterson.' We hope shortly to gather from the same source the precise whereabouts of 'Tom Collins.'—*Danbury News.*

By a singular coincidence 'Snag' has just idled in with a communication in manuscript bearing directly upon the important subject referred to:

"TOM COLLINS IS."

The blazing sun was sinking fast,
When through the crowded streets there passed
A man on bloody purpose bent,
Who muttered but of his intent:
"Tom Collins is—!"

His face had signs of deepest ire,
His gloomy brow a portent dire—
When asked the object of his race,
He but replied and held his face:
"Tom Collins is!"

"Oh stay," the maiden said, "and rest
That fiery head upon this breast;
What is there calling from these arms?"
Scarce gazed he on her copious charms—
"Tom Collins is!"

"Beware," the spruce bar-keeper said,
"Beware! he's punched full many a head!
That's him, that's passing now, the cuss—
Hold up! He's dreadful in a muss!
"Tom Collins is!"

A lone policeman on his round,
At midnight in an alley found
A battered wretch. "My eye!" he cried,
"This 'ere's in—" The bruised lips replied:
"Tom Collins is!"

—*St. Louis Journal.*

The beggar's patron saint—Saint Nickel-us.

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Country colloquy—"Tom, do you believe in infant damnation or not?" "I don't know, Bill, go up to Parson Breeds and ask him if I believe in infant damnation; I joined his church last year and he ought to know."

ONE very common error misleads the opinion of mankind universally; that authority is pleasant, submission painful. In the general course of human affairs the very reverse of this is nearer the truth. Command is anxiety; obedience, ease.—*Rascal.*

THE Indiana judges stand no nonsense from the bar. A lawyer there lately, in the course of his argument, used the word "disparagement." "Stop using Latin words," said the judge, "or sit down." The poor lawyer, undertaking to explain, was ruthlessly fined $20 for contempt.

The Syracuse Journal beautifully remarks: "The country presents a beautiful and charming spectacle just now. Arrayed in habiliments of freshest green and jeweled with bright blossoms of pink and white, blue, crimson, and lavender, the garish scene is ravishing to the eye and exhilarating to the mind." Yes—just so!

They tell of a hen which floated down a raging tide at Mill River for some distance in the barrel where she was laboriously "covering" nineteen eggs. She attended strictly to business during the flood, finally brought up in a friendly harbor, and has since left her barrel with nineteen chickens at her heels.—*Springfield Union.*

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W. E. GOUGE, Administrator.

May 26, 1874-d6w

Administrators' Notice.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, that the undersigned, Administrator of the Estate of Jacob Clark, Deceased, late of Macon county, Illinois, will attend before the County Court of said county, in the city of Decatur, on Monday, the 20th day of July, A. D. 1874, for the purpose of settling and adjusting all claims against the Estate of said deceased, when and where all persons holding claims against said deceased are requested to present the same for adjustment. All those indebted are requested to make immediate payment.

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OFFICE: Over Quinlan's Carpet Store East Main Street. [Apr. 1-dtf

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Republican State Convention.

HEADQ'RS REPUBLICAN UNION STATE CENTRAL COMMITTEE OF ILLINOIS, CHICAGO, April 20, 1874.

The Republicans of Illinois are requested to elect delegates to a Republican State Convention to be held at the city of Springfield on Wednesday, the 17th day of June, at the hour of 12 m., for the purpose of nominating candidates to be voted for at the November election, 1874, to fill the following offices, to-wit:

State Treasurer,
Superintendent of Public Instruction.

The basis of representation will be the vote cast for Republican Presidential electors at the election in 1872, to-wit: One delegate for every 400 votes, and one for each fraction of 150 votes.

Signed by the Republican state central committee.

C. B. FARWELL, Chairman.
DANIEL SHEPARD, Secretary.

THROUGH the combined efforts of the *Republican* and the *Free Trader*, of Ottawa, the city council of that place has passed an ordinance forbidding chickens running at large. This is considered to be a covert attack upon the agricultural element of that city. The Decatur Township Farmers' Club should straightway pass some resolutions, denouncing this outrage upon their fellow-agriculturists of Ottawa, and protesting "mildly but firmly" against the oppressive precedent thus established. Whither are we drifting?

THE New York *Tribune* concludes a lengthy editorial commending General Grant's financial letter to Senator Jones by saying: "We can express our cordial approbation of almost every point in the President's letter to Senator Jones in no better way than to say that it could not have been more to the point had it been written by Senator Jones himself." We have a faint suspicion that there is a slight touch of satire in that.

A REPORTER, who interviewed General Sherman, asked him why he wanted to leave Washington. "Well," said old Tecumseh with a twinkle in his eye, "there are too many people there," probably meaning that the Secretary of War made the population one too many to suit him. This was as neat a bit of humor as that of Judge Hoar, of Massachusetts, who, being asked by some one what Richardson's reputation was at home, replied, "Mr. Richardson's reputation is altogether national." One would naturally infer that he hadn't much left for home consumption.

THE far West papers report a case of wholesale marrying. An enthusiastic young Mormon saint deliberately married three young and fair damsels at once. By this arrangement he made a saving in ministers' fees; and in bridal tours, suits, cards and breakfasts; but he may be the loser in the end. The enjoyment of three honeymoons concentrated into one, the bitterness of three months of wormwood devoured in four weeks' time, the advice of three mothers-in-law all given at once, each raising her voice to drown that of the others, the jealousies of each of the wives against the other two, and their united jealousy toward all the other girls in Mormondom, all these, or either of them, would drive any man to the flowing bowl, the mad-house or the suicide's doom at once. We shall watch with interest the future of this young husband. All have read the fate of the man who married two wives, one older and the other younger than himself. The first plucked out all his uncolored hair to make him look old, and the latter plucked out the grey hairs to make him look young. We prophecy that the hair of this young man will turn grey in a single night.

A NOVEL case has just been decided by the Supreme Court of the District of Columbia. It appears that one of the carriers of the Washington *Chronicle*, who was discharged last summer for refusing to comply with the conditions imposed upon him by the Company, brought suit for the sum of $6,000 as the value of the route on which he had for years delivered the paper, and which he claimed was his property by contract. The Court, however, decided, first, that there was a want of mutuality in the contract, and, second, that the pretended contract came under the fourth section of the statute of fraud, requiring contracts not to be performed within a year to be in writing. The decision is an important one, as it does away with the claim by carriers that they own the routes over which they travel, unless there is a special contract with the publishers conferring the property upon them.

THE Albany *Journal* says that if we spell it "program" during the next three months we must not be misunderstood. We shall return to "programme" with the resumption of cool weathe

THE NEXT SENATE.

From the Detroit Tribune.

The terms of twenty-five Senators expire on the 4th of March next, and the successors of seven of them have already been elected. Senator Thurman, of Ohio, is the only one, so far, who has been chosen to succeed himself. From Mississippi B. L. Bruce, a colored man, will supplant H. R. Pease, both Republicans. From Maryland William Pinckney White will succeed William T. Hamilton, both Democrats. From California Newton Booth, Independent Republican, will succeed John S. Hager, Democrat. Connecticut, Texas and Virginia have elected Democrats in place of Republican incumbents—William W. Eaton in place of William A. Buckingham, S. B. Maxey, in place of Joseph W. Flanagan, and R. D. Withers in place of John F. Lewis.

Of the eighteen Senators whose successors are still to be chosen, thirteen—Gilbert of Florida, Pratt of Indiana, Hamlin of Maine, Washburn of Massachusetts, Chandler of Michigan, Ramsey of Minnessota, Stewart of Nevada, Scott of Pennsylvania, Sprague of Rhode Island, Brownlow of Tennessee, Edmunds of Vermont, Boreman of West Virginia, and Carpenter of Wisconsin—are Republicans; three—Schurz of Missouri, Tipton of Nebraska, and Fenton of New York—are Liberals; and two—Bayard, of Delaware, and Stockton of New Jersey—are Democrats. Of the States now represented by Republicans, Maine, Massachusetts, Michigan, Minnesota, Nevada, Pennsylvania, Rhode Island, and Vermont may be set down as safely Republican; Tennessee and West Virginia as pretty surely Democratic; and Florida, Indiana, and Wisconsin, as doubtful. Of those represented by Liberals, Missouri will certainly elect either Mr. Schurz or a Democrat, and New York and Nebraska will almost surely elect Republicans. The Democratic States will probably be Democratic still, though there is a slight chance for the Republicans in New Jersey. Louisiana, now represented in but one of her Senatorial chairs, will probably choose a Democrat.

The Senate stands at present: Republicans, 51; Democrats, 19; Liberals 3; vacancy, 1. Of those whose terms expire on the 4th of March next 17 are Republicans, 5 Democrats, and 3 Liberals. The new delegations will probably stand 15 Republicans and 8 Democrats, with 4 doubtful; making the political complexion of the Senate, after March 4, 1875, Republicans, 40; Democrats, 22; doubtful, 3.

QUEEN VICTORIA INDORSES MR. SARTORIS.

[Washington Correspondence of the New York Journal of Commerce.]

Mr. Sartoris is a descendant of the Huguenot refugees. His father, a conservative and one of the best known members of the Carlton Club is a prominent merchant and does a large East Indian businesss. His uncle, Mr. Samuda, M. P., also of the Huguenot refugees, is known as the largest shipbuilder on the Thames, and an authority in navy debates in Parliament. It is not generally known that Queen Victoria, as soon as she heard of the proposed marriage, made inquiries regarding Mr. Sartoris, and wrote a letter to the President in which she confidenaly indorsed him. This letter probably arose from the sincere personal attachment which the Queen felt toward Miss Grant, and the esteem she felt for the President of this republic in his official capacity. It is hinted by those cognizant of the situation that the royal heart will be moved to some special mark of approbation in connection with this marriage. It is believed among Englishmen who know, or affect to know, a little about the court, that the Queen will invite the couple to visit Windsor Castle and confer some title of nobility upon the bridegroom.—There is a confident belief that President Grant will visit Europe after his Presidential term; and the idea of tendering him the freedom of the city in such event is already favorably talked of in the London clubs.

THE COMING TURNFEST.

The German people of Central Illinois are looking forward with the liveliest anticipation of pleasure to the grand Turnfest or jubilee of Turner societies of Central Illinois which begins to-morrow in Decatur and continues three days. The German people, perhaps more than any other, relish those exercises that develop the physical man and those social enjoyments, habits and customs that bring the natives of their fatherland together in friendly intercourse; and, to this fact is mainly attributable the wonderful friendship for each other which characterizes the German people of America. The Turner societies are one of the many agencies which preserve this friendship and keep alive the memories of the land beyond the sea. So when the Turners engage in their festivals and contests [illegible] cal attainments every German is interested, and the occasion gives the [illegible] letter to the record of the time. To-morrow the exercises begin at Decatur, and on Sunday, as the *Pantagraph* has already announced, an excursion will leave Bloomington for the scene. Everything now betokens a time of great plesure, and we feel sure that the number of excursionists will be immeuse.—*Bloomington Pantagraph.*

A LARGELY attended "grasshopper convention" has just been held in Minnesota. The general opinion prevailed that a destruction of the crops this season was inevitable.

SENATOR Boutwell is denounced as a simulacrum in Massachusetts. The way of the transgressor is hard.

TELEGRAPHIC.

[4 O'Clock P. M. Reported Expressly for the Daily Republican.]

CONGRESSIONAL.

Passage of the Compromise Currency Bill by the Senate.

PRESIDENTIAL EXCURSION.

GRASSHOPPERS IN IOWA.

American Pilgrims in Rome.

ILLINOIS POLITICS.

DUBUQUE, Ia., June 12.—Reports of grasshopper ravages in Western Iowa continue to arrive. A resident of Humboldt County says that section is stocked with them to the damage of the growing wheat and corn. The largest are about two-thirds grown, and they vary in size from that down to those just hatched. They are not yet large enough to fly, and as yet have committed depredations only in the places where the eggs are laid. In ten or a dozen counties west of Humbolt, and up the west fork of the DesMoines River, the country is full of them. They have already eaten the growing crops on the ground, and left the fields as barren as a board. Many of the homesteaders, in dispair of a crop, have packed up and are moving out of the country. Humboldt seems to be the eastern limit, though further north they extend further east into Kossuth and Winnebago Counties, and in Minnesota still further east, while south of Humbolt they do not come so far east. The hope now is that as soon as they are large enough to fly, say by June 25 or July 1, they will leave. They rise in clouds and go which ever way the wind happens to blow. It is hoped that their departure may be speedy.

WASHINGTON, June 12.—Representatives Platt and Stowell called on the President to-day asking the President to send troops to Petersburg, Va., for the protection of the officials. The remainder of the Virginia delegation united in a statement to the President that this was unnecessary. The President declined to interfere.

The House, this morning, under a suspension of the rules, incorporated in the Sundry Civil Appropriation bill $2,100,000 to pay the Choctaw Indians in accordance with old stipulations.

The President with two or three Cabinet officers and several members of Congress will leave for an excursion to Cape May, to-morrow, returning Monday.

WASHINGTON, June 12.—Mr. Scott presented a memorial from the workingmen of Columbus, Pa., asking Congress not to adjourn without action on the pending financial question, and asking the restoration of the ten per cent. tax on iron and steel. Referred.

Mr. Oglesby, from Committee on Public Lands, reported back bill to incorporate the Eastern and Western Transportation Company, with authority to construct a railroad from the coast of South Carolina to the Missouri river. Referred to Committee on Railroads.

The Senate then resumed the consideration of unfinished business, being the report of the Conference Committee on the finance bill.

Messrs. Sargent and Stewart opposed the report; did not want any compromise of the financial question. Finally the debate closed and vote taken. Report agreed to—32 to 23 as follows:

YEAS—Messrs. Allison, Bogy, Carpenter, Clayton, Conover, Dorsey, Ferry (Mich), Goldthwaite, Gilbert, Harvey, Hitchcock, Howe, Ingalls, Johnston, Logan, McCreery, Morton, Mitchel, Merrimon, Norwood, Oglesby, Patterson, Pratt, Pearson, Ramsey, Robertson, Scott, Spencer, Sherman, Tipton, Weston and Wright—32.

NAYS—Messrs. Alcorn, Anthony, Bayard, Boutwell, Buckingham, Conkling, Edmunds, Flanagan, Frelinghuysen, Hager, Hamilton, of Texas, Hamlin, Jones, Horrill, of Maine, Morrill, of Vermont, Sargent, Schurz, Stevenson, Stewart, Stockton, Thurman, Washburn—23.

FLORA, ILL., June 12.—The counties of Pope, Hardin, Gallatin, Saline, White, Wayne and Jefferson have held their conventions and instructed their delegates to vote for Hon. T. S. Ridgeway, of Shawneetown, for State Treasurer.

ROME, June 12.—The American pilgrims were to-day made members of the society for the promotion of Catholic interests in the United States. They have presented the Pope $100,000, besides a coffer of gold nuggets from the American mints. They leave Rome on the 12th instant.

A MISS LOVEJOY, of Wisconsin, is now prosecuting her fourth breach of promise suit. Some man will marry that girl yet in self-defense, and then will be determined what is to become of her suits and breaches.

NEW PENSION LAW.

MESSRS. EDITORS:—Please insert the following extract from the law granting increase of pension, and oblige,

Yours, &c.,
CHAS. H. FULLER,
Claim Agent.

"*Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America, in Congress assembled*, That section four of the act entitled 'An act to revise, consolidate and amend the laws relating to pensions,' and approved March 3, 1873, be so amended that all persons who, while in the military or naval service of the United States and in the line of duty, shall have been so permanently and totally disabled as to require the regular personal aid and attendance of another person, by the loss of the sight of both eyes, or by the loss of the sight of one eye, the sight of the other having been previously lost, or by the loss of both hands, or by the loss of both feet, or by any other injury resulting in total or permanent helplessness, shall be entitled to a pension of fifty dollars per month; and this shall be in lieu of a pension of thirty-one dollars and twenty-five cents per month granted to such person by said section: *Provided*, that the increase of pension shall not be granted by reason of any of the injuries herein specified, unless the same have resulted in permanent total helplessness, requiring the regular personal aid and attendance of another person."

A GERMAN testifying in an Ohio Court in regard to the intoxicating qualities of lager beer summed the case up thus: "If you drink five or six glasses of lager," said he, "in a little while you feel more pleasant as if you drink five or six glasses of water in the same time, and if you drink five or six glasses of water in a little while you feel more disappointed as if you drink five or six glasses of lager in the same time."

BARNUM'S Hippodrome has been running in New York a month, and the average attendance has been 10,000 people at each performance. When the showman first erected the building, the knowing ones predicted a failure; but old Phineas is a pretty knowing one himself.

ADELINE PATTI has forsaken the Parisian public. She asks of Mr. Strakosch a nightly fee of $1,220, while the theater which is small, will only yield $2,500 in receipts. Malibran and Sontag, in their best days, were content with $10,000 a year.

As a bride and bridegroom were about to leave Cleveland a Constable stepped into the car with a new attachment and seized the bridegroom's beautiful plug hat. The dishonest groom went on with his matrimony bareheaded.

OF course the Norristown editor, in writing on the White House wedding, used the word "auspiciously," but the compositor knew better, and made him say: "Few honeymoons ever began more suspiciously."

School Picnic.—The school known as the Sangamon School, which has been in charge of Mr. James Heaton during the past months, held a picnic yesterday, in a beautiful grove about one-half mile east of Sangamon station. There was an attendance of about five hundred people, and everything passed off in the most satisfactory manner. The crowd got together between ten and twelve o'clock, and the first thing in order was to discuss the edibles, of which there was an abundance, both in quantity and variety. One table was splendidly furnished for the speakers and other invited guests by the families of Mr. J. B. Spangler and Mr. John Beck, which, in the language of one of the speakers, "fairly groaned under its burden of good things." The company disposed themselves in groups to partake of their refreshments.

Dinner over the next thing in order was the speaking, which was done by Messrs. O. F. McKim, G. F. Wessels, Dr. Millison, and R. B. Brockway, with which singing was interspersed, under the lead of Mr. Simeon Mountz. A fine parlor organ was on the ground, at which Mr. Wessels presided. The speaking over, the crowd amused themselves at swinging, croquet, and various other amusements until it was time to separate. The day was exceedingly lovely, and all present felt that it had been well put in.

So well pleased are the directors with the services of Mr. Heaton as teacher, that they have offered him $60 per month, to teach their next term of school. He holds their proposition under advisement.

An elegant line of Bugle, Fringes and Gimps, at Cooper's. 21-d1m

Bruce Donaker, Merchant street, sells Triple Crown Cigars. They are the best. 2-2tw

Return Tickets to the West.—The Toledo, Wabash and Western Railroad are selling first class tickets to Kansas City and Atchison and return for $18.00. These tickets are good on any passenger train for thirty days from date of sale.
K. HARWOOD, Ticket Agent.
jun1 d&w

Triple Crown Cigars, at Bruce Donaker's, Merchant street. 2-2tw

Sunday School Singing Books, supplied at wholesale, by M. D. COFFEEN, Book and Music Dealer, Decatur, Ill.
june 2 d&wtf

Brick for Sale.—I have a kiln of brick now ready to open.
m30-dtf.] P. M. WHITMER.

Call and see the latest styles of Hats at J. R. Race & Co.'s. 1tf

Triple Crown Cigars, made from Havana tobacco, at Bruce Donaker's. 2-2tw

Pike, the Jeweler, keeps the best Spectacles in the city, and sells them at a reasonable price. [Sept1 d1m

Lost, on Thursday, a lady's white basque, made of imitation puff material, the bottom and sleeves trimmed with white inserting and flouncing. The finder will be suitably rewarded by leaving it at this office. *

Festival Notice.—The festival to be given by the Methodist Society at Warrensburg, on Tuesday, the 16th inst., will commence at 4 o'clock, p. m. Persons wishing to go from Decatur can leave at 1:30, p. m. Returning they can leave Warrensburg at 9 o'clock in the evening—the train usually leaving Warrensburg at 8 having consented to wait one hour for the accommodation of persons attending the festival. d&wtd

How is it that E. B. Pratt & Sons can afford to sell choice groceries so cheap and still live? Why, simply because they sell for cash only, lose no bad debts, and give their customers the advantage of it.

Ladies' Walking Suits and underwear, cheaper than at any other place in the city. 10d4w1

Removal.—Miss L. Coddington informs the ladies of Decatur and vicinity that she has removed her stock of hair goods to Powers' Block, to the pleasant and commodious rooms over Knieper's jewelry store, No. 10 North Water street, where she will keep a full assortment of all goods in her line. 10-d&w1w

A[illegible] Business Suits from $12 up, at Race's. 2-dtf

Look Here.—Easy fitting boots and shoes are a desideratum in hot weather; and they can always be found at the boot and shoe store of V. Barber & Co. A full stock, with complete assortments, always on hand. Prices as low as the lowest, and goods equal to the best, both in style and quality. 11-daw1w

W[illegible] Swearingen & Co's [illegible] syrup Arctic soda apparatus is in full blast at their drug store on Morgan street. The people of the first and fifth wards need not come up town to get soda water.
May 21-dtf.

For Sale.—V. H. Park has for sale a very fine Colfax buggy, jump seat, as good as new. Also, a very good one horse harness. Will sell at a bargain. See [illegible] Bruce. V. H. PARK.
June [illegible] 1w-w1t.

Special Notice.—I take this method to announce to the public that I have now on hand a very superior assortment of boots and shoes that cannot be excelled in style, or in price and quality, consisting of Ladies' French Kid, button, side lace, low vamp, handsomely stitched—just the thing to please and fit perfectly. Also, Men's Gaiters, low shoes, a full line of Burt's hand made goods, all kinds of children's colored shoes, button and lace— Call and examine my stock.
ap[illegible] G. F. WESSELS.

The Question Answered.—How Linn & Scruggs employ so many salesmen and sell goods so cheap. They keep the largest stock of dry goods in Decatur—they retail more goods than any other Dry Goods House in the United States, according to population, and their expenses are *less* in proportion to sales. Besides they are thus enabled to buy most of their goods of first hands and by the Case and Package which gives them great advantage over small dealers. [illegible] 2-d&w

Important to Boarders.—Two or three regular boarders can be accommodated with board and good rooms at $4.00 per week at No. 29 West North street.—Table board will be furnished for $3.00 per week. NEWTON THOMPSON.
May [illegible]dtf.

Latest Style Silk Hats, for $5, at Race's. [illegible]tf

The Place to get nice fitting custom boots and shoes, is at the Rolling Mill Boot and Shoe Store, T. B. Wood, proprietor, near the Agricultural Works.—Mr. T. D. Kline is cutter and fitter. Call and leave your measure. May 1dtf

A large assortment of Brocade and Windsor Ties, at Cooper's. 21-d1m

For Rent.—A dwelling house with seven rooms, in good repair. Enquire of F. Priest at Priest's Hotel.
May 29dtf F. PRIEST.

Lawn Mowers, garden tools, scythes, snaths, grain hooks, etc., go to George Durfee's, on East Main street.
June [illegible] 12w.

DECATUR MARKET REPORT.

DECATUR, June 13, 1874.

WHEAT—Red, per bushel	$1.10
" White	1.30
FLOUR—white wheat, ℔ hundred	4.50
" red	4.00
" superfine	3.75
" middlings	2.00
CORN MEAL—℔ bushel	80
RYE—℔ bushel	.60
CORN—℔ bushel	55
" shelled, per bush	60
HAY—Timothy, ℔ ton	12.00
OATS—℔ bushel	45
FLAXSEED—℔ bushel	1.35
TIMOTHY SEED—	3.25
CLOVER SEED—	6.50
BLUE GRASS—	1.50
ORCHARD GRASS	2.50
[illegible]	2.50
HUNGARIAN	1.50
BEANS—℔ bushel	2.75
BUTTER—℔ ℔	20@23
EGGS—per doz	7@8
LARD—℔ ℔	7@9
BACON—Sides	8@9
HAMS—sugar-cured	12
SHOULDERS—per ℔	7
HOGS—live, per hundred	4.75@5.00
CATTLE—	3.25@6.00
SHEEP— " per head, unsheared	
" sheared	3.50@4.00
POTATOES—per bu	1.60
PEACHES—Dried	12½
APPLES—	10
" Green ℔ bar	5.00a5.50
WOOL—Unwashed, light & medium	25@27
" heavy fine	20@22
" combing	25@30
" Fleecewash'd choice	40
" fine & heavy	30@35
" Tubwashed, choice	45
" inferior	40@42
HIDES—Green, ℔ ℔	.04
" Salted cured	6@.6½
" Calf	8@9
" Dry salt	10
" Dry Flint	12
SHEEP PELTS—	40@60
[Cut, grubby, scarred or otherwise damaged, two-thirds price, branded, 10 per ct. off.]	
FEATHERS—Prime, ℔ ℔	.50@.55
" Common, ℔ ℔	.25@.40
TALLOW—Cake	5
" Barrel	5¼

The "Duke Alexis Shoe," made with buckle, fancy extension, box toe, which received the silver medal at the World's Fair at Vienna, 1873, is all the rage just now. You can find them only at Wessel's. [Apr 24.dtf

Clothing of all kinds made to order at Race's. 2 dtf.

A full line of cloths, cassimeres and vestings, latest styles, at Race's. 2 d-tf.

Five Rooms to Rent.—In second story, [illegible] the post office—suitable for offices, or millinery and dress-making rooms. Apply to Chenoweth & Walston, at the Surgical Institute. 27 dtf.

Wedding Suits made to order at Race's. 2 dtf.

Pike, the Jeweler, is agent for the sale of the best brands of American watches.

Coal, Cheap.—Fred. Smith sells coal for four dollars per ton, delivered. 20-dtf

Parasols, at Cooper's.

GOLDEN CHANCE.

We have put twelve hundred pair of Ladies' Cloth Shoes, of number one quality, in the retail store for sale at $2 a pair, that have never been sold at less than $3 since before the war. Every pair is warranted.

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P. S.—Men's Cloth Boots at from $2.25 to $2.75 a pair. [may15 dtf.

Ladies' [illegible] just received at Wessel's. The latest style of French Kid button, side lace shoes,—just the article that will please and fit. Call and examine. 8 dtf

Spring Hats, latest styles, at Marble Hall. 2-dtf

Cooper has just received real Guipure and Yak Laces. 21 d1m

New Advertisements.

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Ice Cream Freezer
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FOR SALE.—Three story brick building, No. 24 Merchant street. Apply to BEN. F. DODSON, No. 14 Merchant st.

FOR SALE.—A desirable lot for residence, 65x158, on corner of West North and North Union streets. Enquire of BEN. F. DODSON, 14 Merchant-st.

FOR SALE.—Two desirable lots on Morgan street. Apply to BEN. F. DODSON, 14 Merchant-st.

FOR SALE.—All the furniture of my residence, both parlor and kitchen, all being first-class. Enquire at the premises, No. 21 Merchant street. BEN. F. DODSON.

FOR SALE.—A light Phæton, good family Horse and Harness; also a set of first-class Double Harness. Enquire of BEN. F. DODSON.

TAKE NOTICE!

SPECIAL.—All persons indebted to the undersigned will confer a favor by calling and settling the same immediately, as I intend to quit business.
BEN. F. DODSON, 14 Merchant-st.
May 16, 1874-d.

ASK FOR
PYLE'S
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BAKING SODA!
THE BEST IN USE.
May 21, 1874-d6m.

NEW STORE,
New Goods,
A. A. COOPER,
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HAS NOW IN STOCK, and daily receiving additions to his already Large Stock of
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Including a full line of the latest style
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Ladies', Misses' and Childrens' SHOES!
[illegible] kinds.
I shall be pleased to see you, and take great delight in showing you through the stock and giving you my prices.
COME AND SEE.
A. A. COOPER.
April 23, 1874-w1y.

CURES AS IF BY MAGIC,
Colds, Coughs, Bronchitis, Hoarseness, Asthma, Whooping Cough, Croup, Pleurisy, Pain and Soreness in [illegible] Difficulty of Breathing,
—AND—
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Majestic in conscious power, this Imperial Remedy sweeps as relentless doom, upon the enemies of the Throat and Lungs. Heaven born it is, while omnipotent to relieve, simple and harmless. Delicious to take. The earthly Savior to all afflicted with any disease of the Lungs. Be wise and use Globe Flower Syrup. Don't take any substitute. Thousands of living, grave-robbed witnesses proclaim the wonderful virtues of Globe Flower Syrup. For sale by all first-class druggists and chemists. Price, $1 per bottle. By JOHN F. HENRY, CURRAN & CO., Wholesale Agents, N. Y. City.
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Will furnish Abstracts showing *in full* the essential matters of all DEEDS, MORTGAGES, TRUST DEEDS, WILLS, DECREES, TAX SALES, JUDGMENTS, &c., which effect any tract of land or town lot in Macon County, Illinois. Deeds, Mortgages, Leases, &c., written.
Blanks of all Kinds For Sale.
feb 23, 1874-w1y d&w

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MANUFACTURER OF
Spring Wagons,
Farm Wagons, etc.
SHOP—No. 24 Mason St.,
One block east of St. Clair Mills.
ALL KINDS OF
BLACKSMITHING!
And REPAIRING done to order.
HORSE-SHOEING
Done by Experienced Workmen.
ALL WORK WARRANTED
None but first-class material being used.
Decatur, March 27, 1873—wtf.

NOTICE.

THE UNDERSIGNED, acting under power of attorney executed by Henry Bradshaw, of Wood county, Ohio, hereby warns all persons from buying or negotiating for a certain promissory note for $100, dated September 22, 1873, and due one month after date, signed by William Chapin and David Givler as surety, which note has been lost, as appears by affidavit made by Henry Bradshaw. DAVID GIVLER, Agent.
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100 Linen and G
IN LATES
Another lot of Striped and
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Lace Saques, Talmas, Scarf
More Embroideries and W
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A Complete Assortme
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Corner Water and
PLATFORM CARRIAGES to order, PIANO and COAL BOX BUGS, SUL kinds. Always up to the times, guarante
Sleighs made
FANCY PAINTING
November 17, 1873. d&w-3m.

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Has on sale the Celebrated
SATISFACTION
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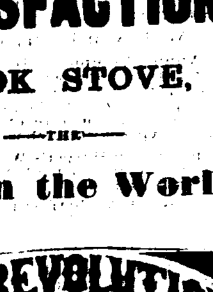

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AS IF BY MAGIC,
Bronchitis, Hoarseness,
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100 Linen and Grass Linen Suits!

IN LATEST STYLES.

Another lot of Striped and Plain Iron Frame **Grenadines,** all prices.

Lace Sacques, Talmas, Scarfs and Points.

More Embroideries and **White Goods.**

Another lot of ALL SILK Plain and Gros Grain **Ribbons** at 25 cents, also, 50 pieces elegant All-Silk **Sash Ribbons,** and another large lot of **Parasols.**

A full assortment of **Ladies' Underwear,** at less price than material and making will cost.

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Table Linens, Towels and Napkins lower than ever

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Decatur, March 21, 1874-dtf

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WITHOUT CHANGE.

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Get and see that your tickets read "Via the Indianapolis, Cincinnati and Lafayette R R," and you will avoid the omnibus transfers, ferriage, changes and delays incident to other routes This is the only line running FOUR DAILY TRAINS from Indianapolis to Cincinnati and the east

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May 1 1874-d

Administrator's Notice.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, that the undersigned, Administrator of the Estate of William E Wheeler, dec'd, late of Macon county Illinois, will attend before the County Court of said county, in the city of Decatur, on Monday, the 15th day of June, A D 1874, for the purpose of settling and adjusting all claims against the Estate of said deceased, when and where all persons holding claims against said deceased are requested to present the same for adjustment. All those indebted are requested to make immediate payment

A W. CONKLIN, Administrator.

April 17, 1874-d6t.

The Daily Republican.

DECATUR, ILLINOIS:

Saturday Evening, June 13.

THE DAILY REPUBLICAN will be delivered to subscribers in any part of the city, at *Twenty Cents per Week.*

Local Notices will be inserted at *Ten Cents* per line for the first insertion, and five cents per line for each subsequent insertion. Rates for time advertisements will be furnished upon application at the office.

TO DAILY SUBSCRIBERS.

Subscriptions to the DAILY REPUBLICAN will be collected every Saturday, at the places where the paper is delivered, unless otherwise ordered.

We would be much obliged if our subscribers would inform the carrier at what particular place they desire their papers to be left

CITY DEPARTMENT.

..Compressed yeast at Imboden's.

...A big lot of clocks just received at Knieper's

. Fresh bread and crackers at Niedermyer's

. A large assortment of gold pens, with all styles of holders, just received at J. L. Knieper's, No 10 Water street

.. Bad boys who can climb fences will be pleased to learn that there is a good prospect for a large crop of grapes.

. .Itinerant gentlemen strongly object to being designated as "tramps" They say they are rovers, and as such wish to be known and recognized.

J Ullrich & Co keep a full line of smoked and pickled meats.

. .Everybody should keep an eye on the excursion of the Episcopal Church to Springfield, which takes place on the 24th inst.

The delegates to the four quarters of the globe, who departed to save the bacon of our saloon keepers, are gradually returning to their several homes

..Jack & Son keep corn meal and the best grades of family flour.

..At the preliminary meeting of the 4th ward republicans, M. K. Hatch was called to the chair, and J. M. Clokey elected secretary. The following persons were selected as delegates to the county convention Wm W. Foster, M K Hatch and J. M. Clokey.

. The most "wettest drink you ever drunk"—the Arctic soda water at W. W. Swearingen & Co's. [may21-dtf

..J P, Marsh informs everybody that he manufactures boots and shoes at reasonable rates, and always warrants a perfect fit He also keeps a fine stock of ready-made boots and shoes of all styles and qualities.

OUR people who have occasion to go to Chicago, should make their home while there, at the new Tremont House.

Capt. W J Brown has some of the finest brands of cigars ever offered in the city, and lovers of the weed should try them by all means He also has a full assortment of choice, pure drugs, fresh and new All approved patent medicines constantly on hand. Also, toilet goods of every variety.

During four days, recently, Lem S Martin, who is at work for Culver, Page, Hoyne & Co, "set" forty two jobs—letter heads, cards, etc. Many of them contained fancy and intricate rules and flourishes, and all were done in first-class style. Who can beat this?—*Exchange*

We have in our employ a gentleman who finds it easy work to compose fifteen jobs of the ordinary "run" of letter-heads, cards, envelopes, &c, in one day, and to do them in first class style

Samuels & Co are now occupying the whole lower floor of their building, with a complete stock of groceries. Call and see [jun13 dtf

In Session.—The Republican county convention, to appoint delegates to the State convention, is in session as we go to press to-day. A full account of the proceedings will appear in Monday's issue.

Postponed.—The proposed trip of the First M. E Sunday School is again postponed, this time on account of a failure to obtain cars from the I. B. & W. Railway, whose superintendent telegraphed Capt. Thompson, the agent here, that all passenger coaches were engaged until after June 26th. The First M. E is having up-hill work to perfect the necessary arrangements, but we have faith that all will be for the best yet

New Line of hair ornaments just received by Miss L Coddington, No. 10 Water street—up stairs

The Turners' Picnic.—We have not been able to obtain any reliable information as to the programme of the German Turners' picnic at Snyder's grove, [illegible] of the city, to-morrow, as those whom our reporter called on could not give the particulars. Trains will arrive with Turners from abroad, on Sunday morning, from Bloomington, Pekin and Peoria, and will go at once to the grove. On Monday there will be a business meeting, and at night a grand ball

The Best Hoop Skirts and Corsets, at Goldburg's 10-d4w1

W. C. Armstrong has a full line of hair and tooth brushes, hair combs and hair dressings, together with one of the most complete assortments of perfumery to be found anywhere Pure drugs always in full supply, which are dealt out in quantities or on physicians' prescriptions with a careful and skillful hand. Give him a call.

Business Change—Mr. John Hatfield, of Blue Mound, has associated with him in the grain business his oldest son, and the firm will be known hereafter as John Hatfield & Son The new firm commences business under very flattering prospects, and we wish them great success.

Watch Repairing, to give perfect satisfaction, at Knieper's.

CITY COUNCIL.

At a called meeting of the city council last night there were present, Mayor Priest and Ald. Stare, Waggoner, McKim, Muzzy, Ehrman, Abel, Peake, Butman, Leake and Mills.

On motion of Ald. Peake, the action of the council at the meeting held June 1, in relation to accepting the proposition of J Edward Bering, [illegible]

Ald. McKim moved the contract be approved.

Ald. Waggoner moved to refer the question of contract with J Edw. Bering to the city attorney and a committee of three members of the council

The mayor named Ald. Waggoner, Muzzy and Ehrman as the committee

Ald. McKim offered a resolution in relation to the same subject, which will come up for action in to-night's meeting, after which the council adjourned.

The Excursion to St. Louis.—At an early hour yesterday morning hundreds of our people were astir and on their way to the Water street crossing of the T., W & W. Railway to board the train for St. Louis, which was to leave at 6 o'clock, sharp. Eight fine passenger coaches were provided for the trip, which were well filled by the time advertised for leaving, and a [illegible] were in the baggage cars provided for the occasion, and the tops of all the cars literally covered by the time the train reached Taylorville. The Decatur cornet band discoursed fine music while the crowd was gathering, and accompanied the excursion to St Louis

Promptly at 6 o'clock the train left the Water street crossing Large delegations joined the excursion at Boody, Blue Mound, Stonington and Taylorville, and some at points even beyond these, until the cars as stated above were packed as full as they could be, both seats and aisles and on top Nothing of interest occurred on the way and the train reached East St Louis safely at 10½ o'clock. From this point the large party made its way over the river, some on the ferry boats and others by the new bridge, and in St. Louis scattered in various directions to put in the day in viewing such objects of interest as most pleased their fancy

A large number, (among them our reporter), visited the celebrated Shaw's Garden, five miles west of the city, where may be seen almost every variety of shrub, flower and fruit that grows on the face of the globe. In passing through these beautiful grounds all the beholders cry out "Beautiful! beautiful!" The sight is one that must be seen to be appreciated—No pen can give any idea of its beauty and loveliness. This earthly paradise is reached by street cars by way of Tower Hill Park, which, together with the Garden, is now the property of the city, it paying for the park three hundred thousand dollars, the garden being donated by Mr. Shaw, the owner, upon condition that a certain sum is annually expended by the city for improvements and the variety of fruits, plants and flowers always to be kept full The street railway terminates at the park, and a mile drive through it by carriage brings one to the garden A full day is needed to make an adequate inspection of these grounds

At about 4 o'clock the excursionists commenced to re-cross the river and board the train for home. At 5 30 the cars got under way and came through without accident, arriving in Decatur about 11 o'clock

The day was all that could be desired, so far as weather was concerned The late rains had laid the dust and there was a cool, bracing air, so that even in St Louis no one could suffer at all from heat. No incidents of special interest occurred on the way except that on the trip down two or three fellows lost their hats, which created considerable merriment at their expense.

The country all along the route is looking exceeding lovely. The wheat is headed out, and has a heavy growth Corn is looking fine, some fields having attained eight or ten inches in height, and a large proportion of it has already been cultivated. Indeed, crops of every description are looking as fine as they were ever known to at this season of the year

The excursion will realize quite a sum for the benefit of the school under whose auspices it was gotten up. There were at least eight hundred persons on board, and most of them held two dollar tickets. We congratulate those who had the matter in charge upon the grand success that has crowned the enterprise

The excursion train was in charge of conductor John Campbell, who is a very fine gentleman, and did everything possible for the comfort of the passengers

Large Shipments.—The amount of stock shipped from St. Louis to the east over the T., W. & W. R. R. is simply stupendous S. H Anderson & Co., of E. St. Louis, send weekly from 70 to 125 car loads, J. B Hunter, of the same place, as many more, and other stock commission firms send large numbers, the local stations between St. Louis and Decatur also contribute large quotas. So that the aggregate of shipments makes a respectable showing for the section of the state through which the D. & E. St. L. R. R passes

Pie Plant.—Those wishing quantities of pie plant can procure it fresh and nice, by leaving orders at Newell & Hammer's grocery WM. STRONG 12 d3d

Preaching.—Rev. Dr Millison will preach at the county almshouse, on the poor farm, next Sunday, at 3 o clock, p. m Subject. 1st, What is the soul of man? 2d, What becomes of it from the time of death until the resurrection?

Agents Wanted.—I will pay cash commissions to a few *energetic agents.* M. D. COWHEN, Bookseller. jun2d&wtf.

PERSONAL GOSSIP.

Among the guests registered at the city hotels are the following, from other towns and states

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G. [illegible] Brown, Lafayette, W. Jackson, Martinsville, Ind G. M. Turner, Bement, W. [illegible], Taylorville, M. Barber, [illegible], Centralia, Thos. Johnson, Cincinnati, F. W Sheoan, Chicago, M Goeradorfer, Peoria, James Austin, St Louis, W. H. Rambo, Monticello, A. B. Scott, Mt. Zion, Sam Ritchie and lady, Warrensburg.

[illegible] HOTEL

W. W. Cole, Jr, J. W. Cheaney, L. M. Hall, Chicago; Patrick Foley, Assumption; [illegible], Cincinnati, G. S. [illegible], Marshall, Jacksonville; [illegible], Delevan, Geo. M. Hill, Harristown, J. C. Kidd, Hannibal, Mo.; Martin Kildare, Paris, France; J. P. Bange, St. Louis, S. T. Phillips, Quincy.

John Hatfield, of Blue Mound, was in town yesterday. Mr. H. is suffering from rheumatism.

L. F. Webb, of Macon, has gone to Missouri on a visit. He reports the grain trade dull at Macon at this time, and that the price now paid in that market for corn is 50c for mixed and 55c for white

Mr. John Hayward, the injured fireman, is much better to-day.

Rev. J. A. Hood, pastor of the Presbyterian church at Maroa, and Mr. H. E. Kent, one of the leading merchants of the same place, called on us this morning

Mr. C E Connard, of Wheatland, was at St Louis on the excursion yesterday

Some handsome plated ware, and latest styles of jewelry, just received at Knieper's.

Religious Notice.—There will be preaching at the Bethel to morrow, both morning and evening, at the usual hours. Service may be expected there on each Sunday until other notice is given

CIRCUIT COURT.

On yesterday was tried the case of John Simons for forgery—trial by jury, verdict not guilty

The case of the People vs Samuel Wilson (colored), for larceny, was next called. Trial by jury, verdict of guilty. The court sentenced the prisoner to the penitentiary for one year.

James Davis and James Evans plead guilty to a charge of larceny, and were sentenced to the Reform School until they are 17 years of age.

In the case of the People vs Chester Frew for larceny, a verdict of guilty was rendered. Value of property stolen, five cents, sentenced to one day in the county jail and to pay one dollar fine, and costs of prosecution.

MARRIED

On the 11th inst, at the residence of Mr David Brindle, near Forsythe, by Rev F N Ewing, Mr. JOHN SAWYER and Miss ELIZABETH SHEDRON, late of Pennsylvania

New Freight Line.—All shippers to and from eastern cities will be interested in knowing that the extension of the Baltimore & Ohio Railroad is now completed to Defiance, Ohio, at which point it connects with the T., W & W Railway, making a fast freight line from the far western cities to Philadelphia, Baltimore and all eastern points, over which freight will pass through the hands of two roads only, and two general freight agents, thereby greatly simplifying transactions Another important advantage in this line will be found to be the rapidity with which freights may be dispatched. This road has also a new grain elevator at Locust Point, which will soon be ready for use, having a storage capacity of about two millions bushels. It is expected by the managers that by this new freight line goods will be carried from Philadelphia and Baltimore to points on the Mississippi reached by the T., W & W Road in from five to six days, or in about one half the usual time now made All shippers will find it to their advantage to examine the merits of this new line

While speaking of the enterprise of the Baltimore & Ohio road in securing these shipping facilities, we take pleasure in introducing to our people Mr. C. H. Ross, general traveling agent for the Globe Line and this road, who has come among us to make his headquarters at this point. Our people will find him a most accommodating and obliging gentleman with whom to do business, and one that is thoroughly posted in all matters pertaining to his line of business.

Ladies will find it profitable to call on Goldburg for Notions and Ladies' Furnishing Goods. 10-d4w1

Grand Excursion to Chicago on St. John's Day.—There is to be a grand excursion to Chicago on St. John's Day, Tuesday, June 23d, over the Gilman, Clinton and Springfield Railway. The excursion train will leave Springfield at 6 o'clock on Tuesday morning, and return [illegible] Chicago at 11.35 on Wednesday night. The attractions at Chicago on that day are the ceremonies of laying the corner stone of the new court house and post office buildings in the presence of President Grant and his Cabinet, together with a grand lake excursion, for which arrangements have been made. Fare for the round trip, from Springfield and Mt. Pulaski, is $5. Arrangements will be effected for half fare between Decatur and Mt Pulaski on the regular trains between here and that point, for the accommodation of those who may wish to join the excursion party from this city The train leaving Decatur at 6 05 a m will be in time to make connection with the excursion train at Mt. Pulaski, and the latter will reach Mt Pulaski, on returning, in time for the train which reaches here from Pekin at 11 15 a m.
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Light Spring Suits at Race's 2 d tf

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Ornamental and Artistic Metal Work.

Fountains, Vases. | Copper Weather Vanes,
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Statuary and Animals, | Iron Chairs and Settees,
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Crestings, | Iron and Wire Railings,
Emblematic Signs,

Excelsior Lawn Mowers and Rollers and Garden Sprinklers.

May 12, 1874-d,eod,4w

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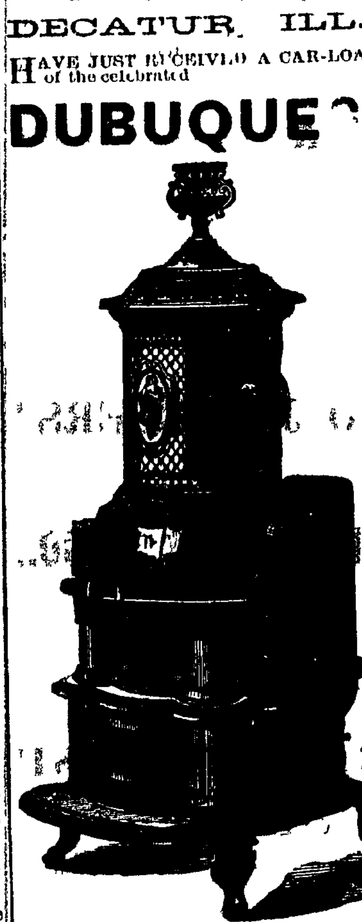

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Of all kinds, always on hand. We kill nothing but choice stock.

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Shoulders,
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The Largest and Best Stock of

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At the Lowest Prices,

Hoop Skirts!

All styles and Sizes, made to order,

Hosiery, Gloves Ribbons, Ruches Collars, Laces, Handkerchiefs, White Underwear, handsomely made Aprons Skirts Zephyr and Germantown Yarns, Canvas, Jewelry

Domestic Paper Patterns

And lots of other goods, which I am going to sell at the

Lowest Possible Prices!

I wish the ladies to remember this, and give me a call I shall be glad to show them goods Remember the place, 18 Merchant street Respectfully yours,

M. GOLDBURG.

February 14, 1874

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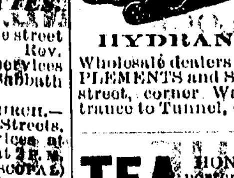

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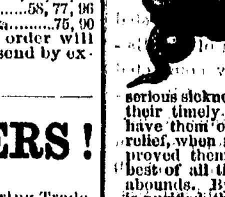

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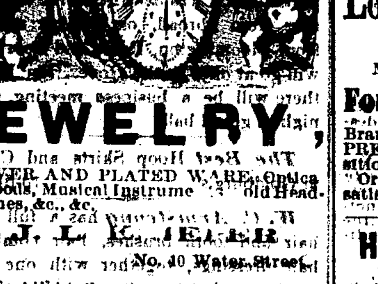

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